DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY FOR PATENT APPLICATION

Attorney Docket No. <u>47291/258570</u>

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, mailing address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR ADAPTIVE CONTROL OF UNCERTAIN NONLINEAR PROCESSES,

| the specification of what is attached hereto OR was filed on 5/31/2 | hich 2000 as United States App | olication No. or PCT Inter | mational Application |
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| Number 09/585,105 ar | nd was amended on (if | applicable). | |
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| | ty to disclose information al Regulations, § 1.56. | which is material to pa | tentability as defined in |
| § 365(b) of any foreign international application America, listed below | n priority benefits under application(s) for patent on which designated at le and have also identified and property is claimed. | t or inventor's certificate, east one country other the d below any foreign ap | or § 365(a) of any PCT an the United States of oplication for patent or |
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I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, § 119(e) of any United States provisional application(s) listed below.

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I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, § 120 of any United States application(s) or § 365(c) of any PCT international application designating the United States of America, listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States or PCT International application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of Title 35, United States Code, § 112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, § 1.56 which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of this application (37 C.F.R. § 1.63(d)).

| 08/510,055 | August 1, 1995 | Patented (U.S. Pat. No. 6,091,919) |
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I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

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